

CLAIMS

1. An electronic device comprising:

a storage;

an obtaining unit for obtaining a first application that can be executed on said electronic device and an identifier of a communication terminal, to store in said storage;

a receiving unit for receiving from a communication terminal an identifier of said communication terminal and a second application that can be executed only with said first application; and

a storing control unit for comparing said identifier received by said receiving unit with said identifier stored in said storage and, if both of said identifiers are identical, storing said second application in said storage, and if both of said identifiers are not identical, deleting said second application.

2. An electronic device comprising:

a storage;

an obtaining unit for obtaining a first application that can be executed on said electronic device and an identifier of a communication terminal, to store in said storage;

a first receiving unit for receiving an identifier of a communication terminal from said communication terminal;

a transmitting unit for comparing said identifier received by said first receiving unit with said identifier stored in said storage and, only if said identifiers are identical, transmitting a request to said communication terminal; and

a second receiving unit for receiving from said communication terminal a second application that can be executed only with said first application.

3. The device of Claim 1 or 2, wherein said electronic device is a car navigation device.

4. A communication terminal comprising:

a storage for storing an identifier of said communication terminal, a first application, and a second application that can be executed only with said first application;

a transmitting unit for transmitting said identifier of said communication terminal and said first application to an electronic device that is capable of executing said first application;

a receiving unit for receiving an identifier from an electronic device;

a transfer controlling unit for comparing said identifier received by said receiving unit with said identifier stored in said storage and, only if said identifiers are identical, transmitting said second application to said electronic device.

5. A communication terminal comprising:

a storage for storing an identifier of said communication terminal, a first application, and a second application that can be executed only with said first application;

a transmitting unit for transmitting said identifier of said communication terminal and said first application to an electronic device that is capable of executing said first application;

a transfer controlling unit for receiving a message from a communication terminal and determining, on the basis of said message, whether to transmit said second application to said communication terminal.

6. A computer program product for causing a computer to execute the steps of:

obtaining a first application that can be executed on said computer and an identifier of a communication terminal to store in a storage of said computer;

receiving from a communication terminal an identifier of said communication terminal and a second application that can be executed only with said first application; and

comparing said received identifier with said identifier stored in said storage and, if said identifiers are identical, storing said second application in said storage, and if said identifiers are not identical, deleting said second application.

7. A computer program product for causing a computer to execute the steps of:

obtaining a first application that can be executed on said computer and an identifier of a communication terminal to store in a storage of said computer;

receiving an identifier of a communication terminal from said communication terminal;

comparing said received identifier with said identifier stored in said storage and, only if said identifiers are identical, transmitting a request to said communication terminal; and

receiving from said communication terminal a second application that can be executed only with said first application.